

Maternal & Child Health Profile - Health Service Region 1

Garza County

Includes the communities of Post, Justiceburg, Southland, Pleasant Valley, Close City, Graham, Chapel

2010 Population: 6,461 (Anglo 45.8% Black 6.5% Hispanic 47.4%)

Teen Pregnancy (age 13-17)

Year	Teen Pregnancy Rate (TPR)	State Rank <i>out of 254 counties</i>	Texas TPR	Pregnant Teens (actual number)
2010	12.5	207	21.4	2
2009	34.7%	58	24.7	6
2008	53.6	17	26.1	9
2007	46.6	21	26.3	9
2006	56.4	10	26.0	11

Teen Births (age 13-17)

Year	Total Live Births	Teen Births (actual number)	Percent Births to Teens	Texas Teen Births
2010	79	2		4.3%
2009	89	6	6.7%	4.7%
2008	81	8	9.9%	4.9%
2007	92	9	9.8%	4.9%
2006	76	10	13.2%	4.9%

Teen Births % Race/Ethnicity

Year	Total Teen Births	White	Black	Hispanic
2010	2	0	50%	50%
2009	6	33%	0%	66%
2008	8	38%	0%	62%
2007	9	33%	0%	64%
2006	10	10%	20%	70%

Infant Mortality and Low Birth Weight (all maternal ages)

Year	Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	Texas (IMR) (per 1,000)	Percent Low Birth Weight	Texas – Low Birth Weight
2010	25.3	6.1	13.9%	8.4%
2009	22.5	6.0	6.7%	8.5%
2008	1	6.1	8.6%	8.4%
2007	0	6.2	9.8%	8.4%
2006	0	6.2	15.8%	8.5%

Source: DSHS Center for Health Statistics <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/CHS>

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Health Services

Hospital	None
Delivery services	None
Out-migration for Birth*	Lubbock
High risk referral	Lubbock
OB/GYN	0
Pediatrician	0
Dentist	1
Primary Care Physicians	1
Physician Assistants	1
Nurse Practitioners	0
THSteps Providers	See link below
Family Planning*	Yes
Children under 18 without health insurance - 2007	18.7% (Texas 19.5%)

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Ratio of Health Care Professionals per 100,000 Population (2010)

	Garza County	Region 1	Texas
Direct Care Physicians Ratio	38.2	157.1	162.3
Primary Care Physicians Ratio	38.2	67.3	69.1
Physician Assistants Ratio	19.1	18.2	19.5
Registered Nurses Ratio	171.8	909.6	695.6
Licensed Vocational Nurses Ratio	324.4	443.6	280.4
Nurse Practitioners Ratio	19.1	33.1	24.3
Dentists Ratio	19.1	35.0	44.5
Pharmacists Ratio	19.1	92.3	80.5

Links

<http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/region1/thstepsmedical.shtm>

<http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/region1/thstepsdental.shtm>

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